DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA EDUCATION LICENSURE COMMISSION

MINUTES

Public Session No. 09-11 November 24, 2009 441 4th Street, NW; Suite 1114 Washington, D.C. 20001 9:30 am

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Richard Roth called the meeting to order at 10:21 am

Commissioners Present:

Mr. Richard Roth, Chairman

Dr. Tommie L. Robinson, Jr., Vice Chair

Ms. Gailda Davis, Secretary

Staff Present:

Ms. Robin Jenkins, Director

Mr. Aleksandar Stevanovic, Education Compliance

Specialist

Ms. Dorothy Thomas, Education Compliance Specialist Ms. Sheranda Vaughan, Education Compliance Specialist

Legal Staff Present:

Ms. Virginia Crisman

II. APPROVAL OF THE OCTOBER 29, 2009 MINUTES

The Commission unanimously approved the minutes of the October 29, 2009 meeting.

III. RENEWAL AND AMENDMENT APPLICATIONS

A. Bertlitz Language Center

The Berlitz Language Center, Washington, DC submitted to the Commission an application to renew its license to continue offering language instruction programs in the District of Columbia.

The Commission unanimously voted to approve the license renewal of Bertlitz Language Center, Washington, DC to continue operating in the District of Columbia for a period of three (3) years, not to exceed November 30, 2012.

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B. Lado International College

LADO Enterprises, Inc. submitted to the Commission an application requesting renewal of their institution's license to continue to offer instructional programs in English as a Second Language (ESL) and Spanish, as a foreign language.

The Commission unanimously voted to approve the license renewal of LADO International College to continue operating in the District of Columbia for a period of three (3) years, not to exceed November 30, 2012.

III. EXTENSIONS

The Commission unanimously voted to extend the renewal licenses of the below listed institutions until *action* is taken on the applications.

- A. Carrigan School of Language and Business
- B. Dudley's Beauty College
- C. International Center for Language Studies
- D. Neighbors Consejo
- E. Walden University Agents (Daniel Duffey, Beth Foster, Christina Cantu, and Kristin Thompson)

IV. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 10:27 am

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. Gailda Pitre Davis, Ed.D.

Secretary